

## Fairbanks Local Working Group Agenda

Date: Thursday, February 25<sup>th</sup> 2021

Time: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm (Zoom Link Listed Below)

### PURPOSE:

- Participants have a better understanding of NRCS programs and how they work
- NRCS leaves with a better understanding of priority natural resource concerns in the greater Fairbanks area

### AGENDA:

9:00 - Welcome and Introductions

9:15 - NRCS Presentation: Overview of Farm Bill Programs – Amanda Crowe

- Followed by Q&A Session

9:45 - Resource Concerns in the Fairbanks Area and Polling Exercise: FSWCD - Joni and Brian

10:15 - Break

10:20 - NRCS Response to Poll Results: Joanne Kuykendall and Amanda Crowe

- Q&A

10:40 - Working Lands for Wildlife

- Program Introduction
- Breakout Sessions - Addressing a local Wildlife need?
- Reconvene for reports from breakout groups

11:10 - Break

11:15 - Small Group Discussion

- Breakout groups facilitated by Topic: “Looking forward, what are your ideas for practices, projects or partnerships that NRCS could support or be involved in? What would you love to see in terms of:
  - **Conservation practices** that would be new to the state? or
  - **Innovative projects?** or
  - **Partnerships** to address priority resource concerns?”
- Reconvene for reports from breakout groups

11:45 Closing

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